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AFTER MANY YEARS
DEMOCRATS RULE IN
NATIONAL CONGRESSEnough Hard Work to
Last Until Well After
"Dog Days."WOMEN SUFFRAGISTS
CAUSE UNEASINESS.Actions Suggest Possibility
of Militant Tactics Fol-
lowed in England.

Washington, April 7.—The house of representatives of the fifty-third congress this afternoon re-elected Speaker Clark. He received 371 votes. James R. Mann, of Illinois, republican, received 111 votes and Victor Murdock, progressive, Kansas, received 18 votes. Four progressive republicans voted for Representative Cooper, of Wisconsin. Mr. Cooper voted for Representative Nelson of Minnesota.

Washington, April 7.—The sixty-third congress, the first in many years with the followers of Thomas Jefferson in majority, began business at noon.

Just as Speaker Clark was dropping his gavel in the house, Majority Leader Underwood dropped the tariff revision bill into the hopper and thereby officially started business through the Washington "dogdays" and well into August.

While the legislators were finding their new seats, a procession of women suffragists, representing every congressional district in the United States, invaded the capitol and presented petitions demanding a constitutional amendment for equal suffrage.

In the house ten day's proceedings were principally of organization.

The re-election of Speaker Clark was the first business after about a hundred new members had been sworn in. Most new senators, however, had been sworn in on inauguration day.

The strict formality that has characterized the opening of congress for decades, was shattered when a young man in the gallery of the senate tried to halt a recess of that body by cries of "Mr. Chairman." Galleries were filled with women suffragists, and for a time it was thought the demonstration was part of the suffrage advance upon congress. The man, who gave his name as George B. Clemmer, of Monroe, N. C., said he was a "herald of the Prince of Peace."

Since President Marshall called the vote to order and administered the oath to Senators-elect Sherman of Illinois, and Goff, of West Virginia.

The republicans had nominated Representative Mann as their candidate for speaker and the progressives had nominated Representative Victor Murdock with a full ticket for officers of the house. Speaker Clark's re-election, however, was assured.

Washington, April 7.—A complete revision of the tariff law; modification of the nation's currency system; proposals for Philippine independence, for the repeal of the Panama canal free toll provision, and for the immediate construction of government owned railways in Alaska, are the chief problems confronting the first session of the sixty-third congress, beginning at noon today.

Summoned by President Wilson

for the express purpose of receiving the tariff, the new congress faces extreme pressure from many quarters to early action on the other subjects named. Whether any of these other than the tariff will be taken up during the special session depends upon the progress made with the tariff revision, and the success that may attend preliminary work upon a general currency reform bill.

After Long Wait.

For the first time in eighteen years, congress assembles with both its branches under control of the democrats, and with a democratic president to co-operate in shaping its policies, and to approve its acts. The tariff law to be passed by the special session that opens today will be the first general democratic revision of the revenue laws since the act of August 27, 1894, known to history as "Wilson-Gorman law," and which President Cleveland allowed to become a law without his signature.

Including Uncle Joe.

Scores of familiar faces were absent in both houses. In the house, the complete change in the seating arrangements had made even old members strangers to the scene. In place of the mahogany desks and swivel chairs to which members had clung for many years, stiff rows of leather-upholstered benches, arranged in semi-circles, filled the house chamber. The new bench system, somewhat similar to that of the British house of commons, gives no desk space at which members can write or work while in the house chamber.

New members dominate the larger house in the new congress. The increase of the membership of the house from 396 to 435, which became effective March 4, brought in a larger proportion of new members than have appeared in any congress of recent years; and made more conspicuous the absence of old-time leaders, such as Former Speaker Cannon, John Dalzell of Pa., Nicholas Longworth of Ohio, Samuel W. McCall of Massachusetts, E. D. Hill of Connecticut, and William B. McKinley of Illinois.

The work before congress today consisted chiefly of organization. The senate had completed its organization early in March, during the special session called to act on President Wilson's appointments. Vice President Marshall served his early apprenticeship as a presiding officer, and the democratic leaders took charge of the senate, elected officers and chose committees at that session, and were prepared for general legislative work today. The organization of the house was expected to consume all of today's session of that body.

President's Message Tuesday.

President Wilson's message will be read to both houses shortly after the beginning of the session tomorrow. In his call summoning the extraordinary session of congress, the president did not specify the purpose for which it was to be convened. Members of congress who had talked with the executive expected that the message prepared to greet the new congress would urge action upon the tariff as the first duty of the democratic majorities in the two houses; but would leave the way open for action on the currency and other pressing matters, if it is decided later to take them up.

Democratic majorities in both house and senate are considered strong enough to carry through the program of tariff revision determined upon by recent conferences, in which the president has consulted with Rep. Underwood and Senator Simmons, the tariff leaders of the two bodies. The democrats have a majority of over 140 in the house, their membership of 288 being dou-

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RUINS OF FINE COUNTRY HOME BURNED BY ENGLISH SUFFRAGETTES.



Just to show what they dared to do, the suffragettes of England burned Treveithan, Englefield Green, near Staines, the home of Lady White, a few days ago. The home was one of the finest country places in England.

In connection with attacks of this kind, Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, leader of the suffragettes, who admitted she had counselled

this course in connection with attacks on other property, was sentenced to three years' penal servitude April 3.

PROSECUTION HAS MANY WITNESSES IN MURDER CASE.

Cleveland, O., April 7.—Frank Kinney, indicted by the Cuyahoga county grand jury on a charge of murdering Ralph E. Byrns, a retired lake captain, on the night of February 2, last, was put on trial in criminal court here today.

Kinney is alleged to have been one of two burglars who were surprised by Captain Byrns robbing his home.

The killing took place when Byrns, a comparatively old man, attacked the two. They escaped, but Byrns later Kinney was arrested in Chicago. The other man is at large.

Fifteen witnesses, including the widow of the murdered man, were on hand when court convened, ready to testify for the prosecution.

VENGEANCE ON ZAPISTA

Sworn by General Orozco Because of False Report of His Death.

GRANDSON ARRIVES IN SAN FRANCISCO

By Six Days Hard Riding Junior Orozco Escaped Sonora Troops.

MA OF SUFFRAGET STOPPING OBJECTING TO ZELIE'S FOOD.

GRANDSTAND PLAY BY DUMPING BOOZE INTO THE RIVER.

WICHITA, KAN., April 7.—Hundreds of gallons of whiskey, nearly two hundred cases of beer and many gallons of wine, representing liquor confiscated by city officials in the last year and a half, has been dumped into the Arkansas river here in order that outgoing officials might leave a "clean slate" for their successors elected Tuesday.

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RED CROSS SOCIETY LENDS GREAT AID TO OHIO FLOOD VICTIMS

NEW MORALS COURT WAS OPENED TODAY WHERE MOST NEEDED.

CHICAGO, April 7.—Chicago's latest venture in the suppression of vice, the new morals court, was officially opened today.

The express purpose of the court is to prevent as well as punish the crimes and misdemeanors over which it has jurisdiction. Those brought before it will be given an opportunity to change their way of living and many agents have volunteered to assist. Practically every civic betterment and philanthropic institution in the city pledged its support to the movement. Positions will be found for women who desire to reform their lives and strong efforts will be made to punish commercialized vice.

CHARLES SHELDON HAS OPPORTUNITY TO APPLY IDEALS.

TOPENKA, KAN., April 7.—Rev.

Charles M. Sheldon, author of "His Steeple, or What Would Jesus Do?" is a member of the Topeka civil service examination commission, which took office today.

The minister announced he would keep the appointment because of the opportunity it will offer showing how police methods can be improved.

Among the ideas he has embraced

and what he is expected to put into force in his new capacity are higher

standards for policemen and

putting women on the police force.

He hopes, he says, to make the

work of the department include the

prevention of crime even more im-

portant than its detection and pun-

ishment.

FELL FROM BICYCLE, BREAKING HIS NECK, DYING INSTANTLY.

FOSTORIA, O., April 7.—Jesse S.

Linhart, 35, fell from his bicycle

while going to work this morning,

breaking his neck and dying in-

stantly.

He is survived by his parents, his

wife and two children.

COLUMBUS, O., April 7.—Special

agents of the American Red Cross

bureau of supplies, stated today that

70 car loads of food are now en-

route to Columbus.

The stream of relief contributions

to the Ohio flood sufferers con-

tinue to pour in from every section of

the country. Nearly \$500,000 has

been received by noon today by Col-

onel M. L. Wilson, treasurer of the

Ohio flood relief commission.

Of this amount, more than \$80,000 is

in the form of drafts which are be-

ing collected.

The following donations were re-

corded today:

City of Philadelphia \$20,000;

Cambria Steel Company, of Phila-

delphia, \$5,000; Denver Chamber of

Commerce, \$4,000; Providence, I.

\$3,000; New York City, \$2,000;

Newark, N. J., Roar of Trade, \$1,

500; Meriden, Conn., \$1,770; Man-

field, Ohio, Humanitarians, \$1,100;

Rochester, N. Y., \$1,200; Cedar

Point Sandusky, Ohio, \$1,000; Birm-

ingham, Pa., \$1,200; Alaska Lodge of

Perfection, Juneau, Alaska, \$500.

AGAINST PRECEDENT
PRESIDENT WILSON TO
READ OWN MESSAGE

MOTHERS ORDER A STRIKE.

Cleveland, O., April 7.—Declaring that the walls of the Warren school building are unsafe, the Mothers' club of the school today declared a strike and kept 600 of the 900 children who attended the school at home.

The building burned months ago. The old walls were used in its reconstruction. The Mothers' club has been making a fight against using the building ever since, and today's strike is the culmination of the fight.

BUYS HISTORIC CASTLE.

Washington, April 7.—The historic chateau of Chenonceaux, belonging to Count Stanislas de Castellane, brother of Count Boni de Castellane, has been purchased for \$54,000 by a Parisian lawyer, who is said to be acting on behalf of an American millionaire whose name has not been made public.

According to the French law the name of the new proprietor must be disclosed within three days after the change of ownership of property.

Arrangements for the extraordinary event got under way today. It was planned that the president should first go to his room on the senate side of the capitol and later go to the hall of the house of representatives, where both branches of congress will be assembled. The legislative preliminaries to get the house and senate together were being laid out today. Under ordinary circumstances the two bodies meet in joint session only once every four years and then for the perfunctory ceremony of canvassing the electoral vote.

President Wilson intends to slip quietly away from the White House with his message in his pocket and attended by probably only one secretary service man, ride to his office almost immediately.

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The liquor has been stored in a city cellar. Four large trucks conveyed it to the river bank where a considerable portion of the populace assembled, watched it mingle with the muddy Arkansas waters.

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Spencerville is sending today to Columbus her second carload of provisions and clothing for the benefit of the sufferers, and other localities in Allen county are sending in supplies liberally. Colonel Vollrath today telephoned B. F. Weller that the sufferers in Dayton and Columbus would need relief for 30 days yet. He also sent the information that the National Red Cross society was taking charge of the situation.

PASSES INTO LAST SLEEP

John Anderson, Prominent Figure in Commercial Life, Expires.

OWNER OF RIVERSIDE MILLS FOR SOME TIME

Left Lima on Thursday and Death Comes Soon After.

Information received this morning from Erie, Pa., tells of the sudden death of John Anderson, aged 70 years, in that city, early this morning. Only just Thursday he left for the Pennsylvania city to take a position as miller, in one of the large flouring mills of the east. No particulars concerning the death were given by the coroner, but it is supposed, by the family, as Mr. Anderson was afflicted with heart trouble, this disease probably removed him from earth.

Mr. Anderson was well known in Lima, having for some years been owner of the Riverside mills, in east Lima. He lived with his family at 760 east Market street, at this time. His aged wife preceded him in death ten years ago, since which time Mr. Anderson has made his home with his daughter, Mrs. C. F. Bodell, of 222 McPherson avenue. For more than a quarter of a century he was a prominent figure in the commercial life of Lima and saw the city grow from a small town into a prosperous city.

Mr. Anderson is survived by four children, Mrs. Bodell, with whom he made his home, Mrs. John A. Harvey, of 325 west North street, John W. Anderson, who lives at the Bodell home, and Charles Anderson, of Dayton.

The body will arrive in Lima at 3:25 o'clock Tuesday morning over the Lake Erie and Western railroad and will be taken at once to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Bodell. Funeral arrangements will be announced later. The many friends of the family deeply sympathize with them in the bereavement which has removed from earth their father.

AFTER MANY YEARS.

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ble the combined strength of the republicans and progressives.

In the Senate the democratic strength is 51, and the combined republican and progressive strength 46. This margin is counted on to secure favorable action on the tariff unless sectional interests of democratic senators should bring about a combination against certain features of the bill, in which several democratic votes might be swayed from support of the measure.

Three candidates had been selected to lead the three parties in the balloting in the house today for the speakership; but the re-election of Speaker Clark and the other officers who served the house in the last session was assured. The democrats had unanimously endorsed Mr. Clark, the republicans had again named James R. Mann, of Illinois, who has been republican leader; and the progressives had aligned themselves behind Rep. Victor Murchock, of Kansas.

Bull Moosers Organized.

The progressive members appear for the first time in the new congress as a separate party in the conduct of house affairs. Many progressive members, elected in November, have joined the party organization and will act in concert throughout the session, at least upon measures that may be advanced as part of the progressive party's legislative program.

President Wilson's influence is expected, by democratic leaders of both houses, to be a potent factor in shaping of legislation throughout the extra session. The president has taken an active part in the preparatory work on the tariff bill, and will keep in close touch with the Senate and house through the consideration of the tariff, currency, or other subjects that may be taken up during the session. He has made it known that he may frequently upset precedent by visiting the capitol and seeking personal conference with those active in the conduct of legislative affairs.

Important changes in the rules of the Senate will be brought forward during the next few days. These changes, as advocated by the new democratic leaders of the Senate and approved by President Wilson, seek to prevent any concentration of power in the hands of a few senators, or of committee chairmen. It is proposed to make all chairmanships elective; to give the members of each committee the right to call meetings without securing the consent of the chairman; and to authorize committees to elect members of joint conference committees.

The latter provision, if adopted, will leave to the full democratic membership of the finance committee the selection of the three or five senators who will confer with a similar house committee in the settlement of tariff disputes and the final completion of the tariff bill.

The probable length of the session that begins today is uncertain. Actual work upon tariff revision probably will begin tomorrow, with the consideration of the Underwood bill by the democratic house members in caucus. Within a week it is expected that the tariff debate will be in full swing in the house. Senate leaders do not expect the completion of tariff work before late July. Should currency reform also be taken up at the present session, Congress probably will remain at work until autumn.

SPRINGFIELD FLOOD PICTURES! In motion—The Royal—Tuesday—5 cents.

Mayor's Relief Committee Reports

Lima, Ohio, April 5, 1913.
Dear Sir:—After a careful audit of all records kept at Salvation Army headquarters relative to the relief of flood sufferers, the donations of bedding, garments, clothes, fuel, shoes, etc., we, the committee appointed by your honorable body, consisting of Mrs. E. B. Mitchell, Mrs. Frank Banta, the Retail Grocers, Butchers and Clerks' Association committee, consisting of H. E. Simonson, Harry Thomas and C. C. Reis, the Salvation Army captain and the Elks' Lodge committee, headed by Mrs. A. S. Bower, respectively submit the following report:

250 Families supplied with provisions, clothing, fuel, etc.

Amount of supplies given to flood sufferers, \$2,500.00.

One truck load supplies sent to Scioto marsh flood sufferers; about 80 people taken care of there.

One truck load taken from Presbyterian church, for Piqua.

One truck load taken from Trinity church, for Piqua.

One truck load taken from Elks' Lodge, for Piqua.

16 bushels potatoes from Ben Huber, for Piqua.

\$70.00 in supplies from Christian Science church.

2,000 loaves bread from Independence, Kans., from Lima colony, for Piqua.

One truck load taken from Salvation Army headquarters, for Piqua.

One family of nine persons taken from flooded district at Alger and furnished with clothes, etc.

\$250.00 given by members of the Lima Grocers, Butchers and Clerks' association.

\$100.00 taken from your fund for provisions.

\$5.00 from Banta & Son, for provisions.

\$25.00 from E. B. Mitchell, for provisions.

Number of people employed, 15.

Number of garments, wearing apparel, quilts, mattresses, etc., collected (approximated), 5,000.

The citizens of Lima came to our aid in an admirable manner and no doubt those that received the benefits of the above contributions will always remember Lima and her citizens that came manfully to their relief in their time of distress and trouble.

We also thank you for the assistance you gave us in carrying this relief work to a successful conclusion.

The committee also desires to express their sincere appreciation to all churches, lodges, manufacturers, wholesalers, retailers and citizens who so willingly and nobly assisted in this work.

Respectfully submitted,

CAPT. ARMOUR MCRAE.

MRS. A. S. BOWERS.

H. E. SIMONTON.

MRS. E. B. MITCHELL.

MRS. FRANK BANTA.

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Object of Bill to be Introduced When Legislature Meets Tonight.

LOAN ASSOCIATIONS OF CITY OF DAYTON

To be Clearing House for Monies for Relief of the Destitute.

aster has upset that plan and legislative leaders and some state officials now place no limit on the session which will be resumed this evening after a recess of one week.

Demoralized train service throughout the state making travel slow and difficult probably will result in a comparatively small attendance this evening, but it is expected that both houses will have working quorums on hand.

Governor Cox who returned from an investigating tour of Dayton, Hamilton, Troy and Piqua on Saturday evening was in consultation with leaders of both houses today and is said to have expressed the hope that the legislature would hold night and day sessions from now on and that final adjournment would be possible within two weeks from today but most of those who were consulted are said to have declared that that would be impossible.

The governor and members of the state relief commission, probably will leave tomorrow to visit Zanesville, Marietta and other towns that were swept by the flood.

Columbus, O., April 7.—Three measures looking to the relief of flood sufferers will be placed before members of the legislature when they meet tonight. Representative Vonderheide, of Dayton, will introduce a bill for the relief by the state of building and loan associations. Temporary relief for counties and municipalities for the building of bridges, is provided for in a substitute bill to be introduced by Representative Snyder, of Pickaway county.

A bill by Representative Black, of Cincinnati, to provide for the permanent repair of county bridges and roads, also will be introduced.

The Black permanent repair bill provides for lifting restrictions imposed by existing statutes whenever the future such an emergency as the recent flood, caused either by flood or fire, shall arise.

A levy of 2 mills beyond the 10 mill limitation of the Smith one per cent law is allowed by the measure.

The bill allows municipalities to go beyond the limitations of the Longworth act in making bond issues. It exempts such relief measures from a referendum vote, which otherwise would require sixty days before relief could be given, and lifts the restrictions of the Burn's law, which requires that certificates shall actually be in the treasury before the money can be spent.

A bill by Representative Black, of Cincinnati, to provide for the temporary relief for counties and municipalities which suffered in the recent floods, by allowing their officers to issue emergency bonds for the temporary repair of bridges, without submitting the bonds to a referendum vote of the people, or without advertising them. The measure provides for a system of ferries, where it will be impossible to build bridges for several months.

Representative Cowan, of Putnam county, chairman of the house finance committee, said today that the 1914 general appropriation bill has been completed and that it will be introduced in the lower house probably Wednesday. The amount carried by the measure probably will be about \$7,000,000.

Senator Lloyd, of Franklin county, will introduce a bill at today's session which would provide a sentence of from one to seven years for "looters" who operate in times of disaster, if it becomes a law.

Some of the old wheel horses of the progressive organization, however, gave it out that they would not support Mr. Murdoch or the progressive plan of campaign. Chief among them was Representative Lenroot of Wisconsin, who had put on record his belief that he could do more effective work along progressive lines by supporting the president's policies. One or two others similarly had withdrawn.

Mr. Chandler's nominating speech was understood to be an outline of the new organization's intentions and ambitions, and therefore was awaited with more than usual interest. Part of his declaration follows:

I wish to announce that we progressives are not organized in this house for mere purposes of antagonism and obstruction. We have a definite program of our own and we shall use every means to accomplish its purposes. We shall, at times, be compelled to assume an attitude of opposition and resistance, for we will oppose with faces of flint and hearts of steel every non-progressive reactionary bill introduced.

In an early conference the progressives adopted a report from the committee on committee nominating Representative Murdoch for the place on the ways and means committee, and Representative Chandler of New York, for the progressive place on rules.

There will be a special meeting of the Lima Club Membership, Monday evening, April 7th, 1913, at eight o'clock. Smoker and business of importance.

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cations of Metcalf Street
Improvement.

SPECIAL MEETING WILL BE CALLED.

Regular Meeting of Council
This Evening Promises
to be Brief.

Nothing of importance is sched-
uled to come up for discussion at
the regular meeting of the city
council this evening, unless some
one of the members has something
"up his sleeve" that he has not
made public. No important legisla-
tion has been prepared by the city
solicitor to be presented this even-
ing, while there is nothing on Clerk
Lawlor's file except a few unimpor-
tant reports of committees and com-
munications.

President Bowser has announced
that he will bring the matter of the
improvement of the channel of the
Ottawa river to the attention of
council this evening, but no indica-
tion of what action will be taken
can be had at this writing.

City Solicitor Jackson has received
notice from the Erie railroad offi-
cials that it will be impossible for
them to present the specifications
and plans for the over head improve-
ment at Metcalf street at the meet-
ing this evening, but that they will
be ready toward the latter part of
the week. Upon receipt of notice
from the company, a special meet-
ing of the council will be called to
approve the plans, which action
must be taken by council before the
company can proceed with actual
working operations.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

Mrs Frank M. Fockler, of west
High street, opened her delightful
home, Friday afternoon, when she
entertained the Colloquim club and
had as invited guests Mrs. McAverry,
Mrs. Hiner and Mrs. Harper. Embroidery
work took up the time of
the club, after which a delicious
luncheon was served.

Mrs. Irvin Brentlinger, of west
Elm street, extended gracious hos-
pitality to members of her em-
broidery club, who gathered at her
home Thursday afternoon, for the
regular fortnightly meeting. A
delicious luncheon was served, with
the advent of the late afternoon
Mrs. Carl Bowditch will entertain the
club, in a fortnight.

Mrs. M. B. Fuller, of south West street, are entertaining
tonight, at the regular monthly
club supper, members of the So-
cial service club, composed of young
ladies who are doing such a splen-
did work in the way of aiding young
women not so fortunately placed as
themselves and in the support of
Miss Starbird, the city matron. The
supper is following the regular
meeting for Bible study, held this

afternoon at the Young Men's Chris-
tian Association.

The young girls of the MacCoyell
Music club, who are receiving such
valuable instruction from Mrs. E.
B. Mitchell, listened to a talk on
"Harmony in Music," given by Mrs.
Mitchell, at their meeting in the
Young Men's Christian Association
building, Saturday afternoon.

Ladies of Grace Methodist church
extended Mrs. B. F. Long, of 615
east Kirby street, a surprise, Friday,
a feature being the splendid dinner
which was served at noon. Mrs.
Long expects soon to leave Lima to
make her home away from her
friends in this city. Nearly a score
of ladies enjoyed the day with her.

address she delivered in March at
the annual convention of the Fed-
eration. Mrs. Gardner's subject
was "The American Woman of Yester-
day, Today and Tomorrow," the
key-note of which was the axiom
that the character of the home gives
the character to the nation, and the
address was highly complimented by
every one who heard it. During her
stay in Buffalo, Mrs. Gardner was
entertained by Mrs. John Miller
Horton, president of the Federation,
and the most prominent candidate
for the presidency of the National
Daughters of the American Revolution.

EGGS 16 CENTS A DOZEN—AT
PIPER'S GROCERY.

THE IDLER.

It is said of Germanne Schnitzer,
the young pianist who will appear at
the Faurot opera house Friday evening
for the Women's Music Club, that
her programme is of adequate
range, inspiration and distinct
quality and that poetry, technique
and fire is brought out in each num-
ber she interprets. Her technique is
said to be beyond praise. The plat-

will be for members only to make
reservations of seats Wednesday and
Thursday. Mrs. Luah M. Butler, the secretary,
will also be at the foyer in the
opera house to provide all who wish
extra coupons for the concert. The
public may secure their tickets fol-
lowing, at the Faurot box office.

Much interest is manifested in
the concert, to be given Tuesday
evening in the Spring Street Luth-
eran church by the Glee club of
Wittenberg university at Spring-
field. Clayton Robertson, son of
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robertson, of
129 west Kirby street, is at the
head of the musical organization,
being the efficient manager, having
entered Wittenberg following gradu-
ation from the Lima high school in
1909. The expenses over and above
securing the organization, goes to
the flood sufferers and the splendid
cause for which the concert is given,
coupled with the lovely evening of
music, which the audience will en-
joy, will no doubt fill the Spring
street church to its capacity.

Mr. S. J. Cook, of Toledo, was in
the city on Saturday, for a short
visit with his sisters, Mrs. W. H.
Havil, Miss Mattie L. Cook and
Mrs. S. L. Beaver, of West Lebanon,
Ind., who is now a guest in the
Havil home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Strawbridge,
of west High street, entertained at
six o'clock dinner Sunday evening
their pastor, Rev. Ernest D. Gilber-
t and L. E. Allison, of Dayton.

Miss Edna Ballard entertained
Lima chapter Daughters of the
American Revolution, at the Busi-
ness Woman's club house, Saturday
afternoon. The papers were given
by Mrs. James O. Olier, who spoke
on "The Mormons" and by Miss Bal-
lard, who had for her subject, "The
White Slave Traffic." The chapter
decided to present to the Lima Public
library and to the Allen County
Children's home two large flags,
which will soon be floated over these
institutions—a mark of esteem to
the women whose ancestors fought
for the liberty we now enjoy. Eighteen
teen members responded to call
Cake and ices were served in the
social half hour that followed the
study part of the meeting.

MARY FULLER—EMPIRE TO-
DAY.

HERBS, PLANTS AND ROOTS

Their medicinal properties and
power over disease form a most inter-
esting study. There are over
700 varieties, all nature's remedies;
yet even in this enlightened age, the
medicinal value of many of them
are little understood.

It was in this study that Lydia E.
Pinkard discovered her famous
Vegetable Compound for woman's
ills, a combination of roots and
herbs which for nearly forty years
has proved a most successful remedy
for all those distressing symptoms
commonly attendant upon
functional and organic diseases of
the feminine organs, which disappear
when it is used.

Mrs. Alice Bentley Gardiner has
just received a letter from the new-
ly elected executive of the City Fed-
eration of Women Clubs, in Buffalo,
thanking her again for the eloquent

LAST GAME OF SEASON

White Stars and San Felice
Team Will Play Tues-
day Evening.

LARGE CROWD IS EXPECTED.

Intense Rivalry Between the
Teams Insures Great
Game.

The curtain will be rung down on
the 1913 basket ball season at the
Auditorium tomorrow evening, when
the White Stars and the San Felice
team, both of this city, will be pitted
against each other. There has been
intense rivalry between these two
teams all season, and as both teams
have host of admirers, the crowd
is expected to be an unusually large

Tiffin was to have played the
White Stars tomorrow evening, but
the game had to be cancelled on ac-
count of the flood. This will be the
last game of the season, as it is im-
possible to get teams now because
of the high water.

The San Felice team will line up
as follows: Judy and Taylor, for-
wards; Peck, center; and Jolly and
Sudowitz, guards. The White Stars
will present their regular lineup, H.
Bowman and N. Bowman, forwards;
Eolen, center; and Callahan and
O'Connor, guards.

Seats for the game are now on
sale at Butler's drug store, corner
Main and High streets.

COLUMBUS FLOOD PICTURES! In motion—The Royal—Tuesday, 5 cents.

MARIETTA FLOOD PICTURES! In motion—The Royal—Tuesday, 5 cents.

MRS. P. H. ALBERT left Sunday
morning for Chicago where she will
spend a few days installing an entire
new stock of advance styles in
spring and mid-summer millinery.

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Mr. and Mrs. Louis Feniger (Ger-
trude Weixelbaum) are the parents of
a little son, born into their home
Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Feniger
are now living at 3822 Troost
avenue, Kansas City, Mo. Mr. Feniger
was formerly manager of the
Leiser store in Lima.

He leaves his widow, Nellie E.
Evans and a six-year-old son. He
was 42 years of age.

He was the son of Merleth R.
Evans and Jane J. Evans, who were
well known residents of the county
until the time of their deaths.

The funeral services will be held
Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from
the residence and the burial will be
made at Carmean cemetery.

HAMILTON FLOOD PICTURES!!! In motion—The Royal—Tuesday, 5 cents.

NOTICE.

I will not be responsible for any
debts contracted by my wife after
the 7th of April.

A. J. LACY,

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WILTON RUGS come in the following
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Kashan, Herati, Bundhar, Hard
wick, Savalan and Trewan. All best
quality and beautiful patterns. Regular
and odd sizes. Prices range
from \$25.00 to \$60.00.

BODY BRUSSELS RUGS, all the best
makes, all sizes, all colors, new pat-
terns, at \$25.00 to \$31.50 for 9x12 ft.
Rugs. Other sizes at corresponding
prices.

AXMINSTER RUGS, in Bigelow and
Sanford makes, all regular sizes, at
\$16.50 to \$27.50 for 9x12 Rugs. Other
sizes priced accordingly.

TAPESTRY BRUSSELS RUGS in 9x12 ft.
sizes, at \$10.00 to \$18.50 each. Other
sizes as follows: 6x9 ft., 9x9 ft., 8x12
ft., 10.6x12 ft., and 10.6x13.6 ft.

LINOLEUMS in printed and inlaid
makes, all colors, new designs.

HARD WOOD RUG FILLING, an extra
good grade, guaranteed to give satis-
factory wear.

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Correct Silks for Summer Wear
Can Always Be Found at Bluem's

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Most conspicuous among our new goods for Spring and Summer is the

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many attractive shades makes this department one of special interest. The

average woman exercises more than ordinary care in selecting silks—care as

to quality, value and style authority.

She feels safe in choosing at Bluem's.

We take special care in selecting our stock with these things in mind—then,

too, the assortments are so great that you are sure to find just what you are

looking for, no matter what the use may be. Come in often and look them

over. The wise woman comes early and chooses before the prettiest patterns

are gone. All prices from 59c to \$3.50 yard.

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G. E. BLUEM

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VISITED SISTER IN
FLOODED CITY.

Mrs. Thompson, of West Wayne
Street, Reports Conditions at
Zanesville Beyond De-
scription.

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Mrs. Jennie Thompson, of 608

West Wayne street, returned home

from Zanesville last night, after

spending a week with her sister

Mrs. Fred Curtis, who was one of

the flood victims at Zanesville. Mrs.

Thompson left her sister consider-
ably improved in health, but still

too weak to attempt a trip to Lima,

where it was hoped that she would

better recover from her recent ill-

ness and the shock incident to her

terrible experience.

Mrs. Curtis' husband, who is well

known here, was the largest indi-

vidual loser in Zanesville, and his

losses from the flood will aggregate

\$60,000, no part of which was cov-

ered by insurance. His lumber yard,

containing car loads of finished ma-

terial, was entirely swept away, as

well as other properties in Zanes-

ville owned by him. Mr. and Mrs.

Curtis lost their entire personal be-

longings and household furniture,

while their home is a total wreck.

Mrs. Thompson reports the condi-

tions at Zanesville as beyond de-

scription. For miles about the city,

houses and furnishings are strewn

about in a hopeless mass, and the

losses will run into the millions.

Mrs. Curtis is being cared for at

the home of friends in Zanesville

until such a time as she will be able

to come to the home of relatives in

this city. She was just recovering

from a severe attack of typhoid

fever when the flood came.

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CLEAR FLOOD PICTURES!!

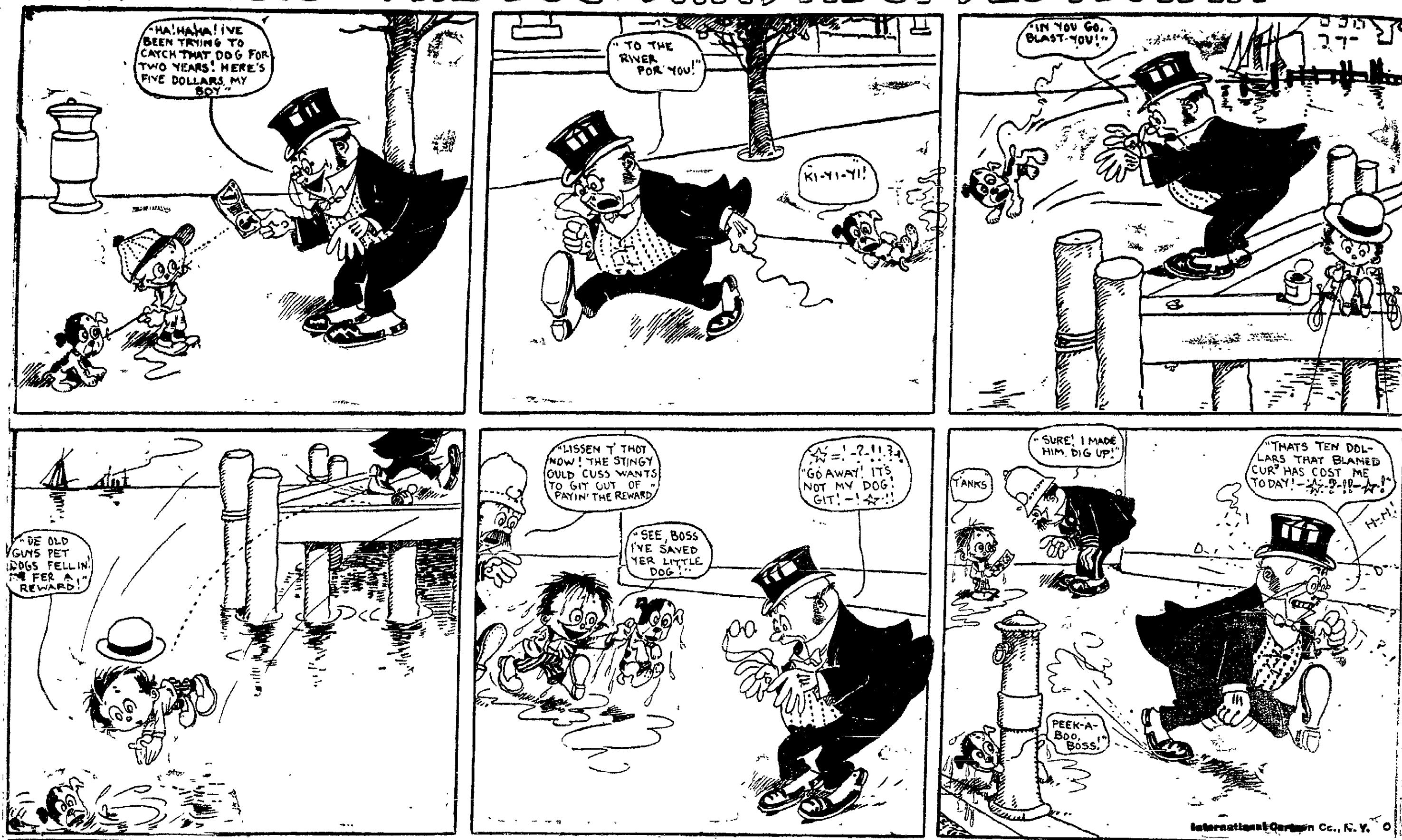
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HAT ONE ON SILLY.

Berlin, April 7.—The bearer of

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"WAGS", THE DOG THAT ADOPTED A MAN

International Cartoon Co., N.Y.

News Items of Interest About Our Neighbors In Surrounding Towns

The meeting of the Tourist club will be held on next Monday evening at the home of Miss Helen Perkins, west Fifth street.

The pupils of both the grades and high school gave Arbor Day programs on Friday afternoon, April 4th, from 2 to 3:15 o'clock. They consisted of special features in observance of the day.

Albert Wurster, of Detroit, Michigan, stopped in this city for a brief visit with relatives. He was returning from Dayton where he had gone to make certain as to the condition of his relatives in that city.

The Easter social given by the Young Ladies' Sodality of St. John's Catholic church on Wednesday evening proved a great success, both financially and socially. In the fore part of the evening progressive euchre was played at thirty tables arranged for the occasion. Mrs. Ig. Gemke and Arnold Wuggerber holding high scores. Arthur Lindemann was most successful in the egg contest. Flowers and cigars were sold and lunch was served.

In a novelty booth products of various large establishments of the country were sold. The young ladies took in about \$400 which will go for the benefit of the new school building.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Butler went to Lima Thursday, for a brief visit with friends.

A meeting of the Sorosis was held at the home of Mrs. L. F. Matteson on west Fifth street. The members responded to the roll call with quotations from "A Midsummer Night's Dream" and the study was the last act and summary of this play. Mrs. Clarence Harlin gave very brilliant paper entitled, "Shakespeare and the flowers." This was the last meeting held by the Sorosis for study. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. R. B. Grafton on west Third street, April 10, will be chiefly a social gathering.

The invitations for the Fluer de lis dance, to be given on the evening of April 10, have been issued.

FREE BOOK

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F. F. For COLIC, Hollyache, Diarrhea,

G. G. For PROSTATE, SCARFAGE,

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try very much and will locate in El Paso.

A powerful pressing machine has been installed in the up-to-date dry cleaning establishment on north Main street. This machine is heated by gas and will enable Mrs. Lyons to turn out her work with much greater convenience.

The Knights and Lady Macabees have taken up their lodge quarters in the Red Men's hall on north Main street, where they will have their quarters with that lodge in future.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA NOTICE.

Auction sale postponed on account of flood conditions. Date of sale, April 10, 1913. mch29 ap-7

Money to loan on First and Second Mortgage Real Estate Security; also buy Commercial Paper. KALBTHRIFT & CO., 141½ North Main St., New Phone 351. 8-61

Why He Was Late.
"What made you so late?"
"I met Smithson."

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NOTICE.

Business meeting of the W. C. T. U. tomorrow at 2 p.m. at the Y. M. C. A. parlor. Every member urged to come.

SECRETARY.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Spring Term

Will commence April 7th, at which time we will make a special rate of \$35.00 for the Business or Short-hand Course of four months.

In the month of March we placed fourteen graduates and had applications for fourteen more that we could not fill. We can place our students just as soon as they become competent. Ask for our new prospectus.

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Business College**

OBITUARY.

Seventy-nine years ago the 25th of last January, the subject of this sketch began her earthly career in Pickaway Co., Ohio, near the then little village of Mt. Sterling.

She was reared amid the so-called struggles and sacrifices of the pioneer days of that section of country. She made good use of the meager facilities for an education in the rudimentary studies of those days. In the month of August, 1856, she was married to Martin Leach Thomas, who proceeded her to their future home nearly nine years ago.

There came to the home of this happy wedded couple nine children, three of whom, along with the parents, have answered to the roll call above. Those surviving are, O. M. Thomas and Rev. A. A. Thomas, of Ada; H. F. Thomas, of Harrod; E. S. Thomas, of near Lima; Mrs. Jennie Logan, of Uniopolis, and Mrs. Flora Graham, of Warsaw. There are also 14 grand children and 3 great grand children.

It was at the home of Mrs. Chris Graham, where Mother Thomas had been residing most of the time for the last few years and from which she was called to her glory mansion, on Friday morning a few minutes after the midnight of April the 4th, 1913. She had been in feeble health for a number of months, but suffered an attack of paralysis about two months ago, from which time her strength gradually wasted until calmly and sweetly and peacefully she fell asleep in the arms of him for whom she had lived and in whom she had believed with a steadfast and unshaken faith throughout all the years of her Christian career, which began in her early childhood, in her native county at Cleveland, Ohio.

She was a woman whose convictions on religious subjects were more than ordinary deep and abiding, heaven inspired, and Bible fed. She was rather a remarkable student of the Bible, having read it through by course a number of times until unfettered of mind and optical strength the days were rare when she did not feed and feast her soul upon its transforming power and its precious promises. She sought conscientiously to follow its teaching and practice its precepts.

More than once, her family has found her carrying into practice Matt. 6: 1 and 6th verses—"But when thou prayest enter into thy closet, when thou shut thy door, pray to thy Father which is in secret; and thy Father which seeth in secret will reward thee openly."

She believed most firmly that the light was made for the eye and the air for the wings, so the Bible was made for the soul. She was the last to answer the summons of death of a sturdy family of German-English descent, consisting of four brothers and three sisters. They were of a puritan type of life. In them was the spirit of reserve, with a tendency of reluctance for large publicity. This dropped out in Mother Thomas' life in more ways than one. She was quite free from display.

Upon the occasion of the death of her husband she requested of her children that when the time came that she should pass through the same ordeal that the words of her funeral text should be "Worship God," found in Rev. 22:10, last clause.

Although she loved man kind, yet she was not in the strict sense a hero worshiper. Her last hours upon earth were filled with beautiful visions and triumphant ex-

pressions of happy reunions beyond the river.

She called the roll of loved ones with tones of tenderness and shouts of glory that were full of pathos and appeal. "Glory to Jesus" was one of her dying expressions.

Mother, good-bye—A brief farewell, but as the star is held by a hand unseen.

A power that lives above.

So our bleeding hearts are held serene.

By the power of the magic love.

The funeral services were conducted from the Olive Chapel, M. E. church, at South Warsaw, of which society she was a devotee member.

The services were in charge of the Rev. W. W. Constein, of Lima. He preached a very practical and compelling discourse from the words chosen by the deceased as already stated above.

The Olive Chapel choir rendered sweet music as did also Mrs. Dora Stockton in a touching solo. "God will take care of you," favorite words of the deceased.

Appropriate floral designs added fittingly to the sad, yet religious occasion. Her body was borne to its final resting place by the side of her husband in Fairmount cemetery.

For Burns, Bruises and Sores.

The quickest and surest cure for burns, bruises, boils, sores, inflammation and all skin diseases is Buckle's Arnica Salve. In four days it cured L. H. Hadin, of Irredell, Tex., of a sore on his ankle which pained him so he could hardly walk. Should be in every house. Only 25c. Recommended by H. F. Vortkamp.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that on the 26th day of April, 1913, at 10 o'clock A.M., there will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Lima Drilling Company, of Lima, Ohio, to vote upon the question of dissolving of said corporation and a surrender of its franchises. Said meeting will be held at the office of Roby & McLaughlin, attorneys-at-law, 420 & 424 Holland Building, Lima, O. H. M. ERNST, Pres.

mar-5-4 wks

MASONIC NOTICE.

Stated communication of Lima Lodge, No. 205, F. & A. M. this evening. Work on Entered Apprentice degree.

E. E. EVERETT, W. M. WALLACE LANDIS, Secy.

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Call up the advertising department if you haven't time to bring your ad. in.

It will cost you only 25c for one time or 50c for three times, for 30 words or less.

WANTS, FOR RENT, LOST, FOR SALE, ETC.

WANTED—A woman to do plain cooking at a tubercular hospital. New phone 2621-A.

WANTED—Laborers. Apply at Gas Works, South Jackson St.

WANTED—Good honest agent for the following towns: Lima, Delphos, Van Wert, and Wapakoneta. Good wages to right parties. Address J. R. Ruffner, care Times-Democrat.

WANTED—Girls at Mosier's laundry. Apply at once.

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WANTED—Rollers, Bunch-breakers and Strippers. Also beginners to learn the trade. Good wages, constant employment. Apply either factory. The Deisel-Wemmer Company.

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Vacant lot, number 735 Oaklawn Park Place. This is one of the best lots in this subdivision. For particulars, address Box 31, Station A, Detroit, Mich.

FOR SALE—43 1/4-acres farm, formerly the Dr. Honnel farm; also my residence in Beaverdam. Have not rented yet and will sell at a bargain if sold inside of next 30 days.—Henry Shull, Beaverdam.

Feb 29 Tues-fri-tf.

FOR SALE—20 new houses and bungalows in all parts of Lima. Prices \$1,000 to \$5,000. Cash or easy terms. If you want to buy a home, see us. Bell phone 961; New phone 1691, Home Builders, Holland building.

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FOR SALE—My residence property at 871 West Market Street. Lot 63x206. 9 rooms aside from large closets, linen room, alcoves, and bath. Toilets up stairs and down full basement. All modern. Emerson W. Price.

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FOR RENT—Second floor Morris Block, 30x100 feet, good light, steam heat, furnished, easy access, wide, easy stairs, good for manufacturing purposes, billiard hall, lodge rooms. See Morris Bros.

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FOR RENT—Desk room and private office. Enquire at rooms 11 and 12, Holmes block, Lima, O. Phone 232.

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FOR RENT—Five rooms at 746 N. West street. Inquire at 759 N. West street.

FOR RENT—Conveniently arranged light, 7-roomed, heated apartment, newly decorated, soft water, bath and laundry, front and screened porches, room for auto and storage, fine location, to adults. New telephone 1434-C.

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FOR RENT—Newly furnished rooms with meals, at 315 west North street.

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LOST OR STRAYED—A brindle bull dog, answers to the name of "Trixie." Return to 783 Greenlaw avenue, or call Bell Phone 248 and receive reward.

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Country Butter, lb.	30c
Lard, lb.	15c
Eggs, doz.	18c
Young Chickens, lb.	12c
Chickens, lb.	14c
Ducks, lb.	12c
Potatoes, bu.	45c
Apples, bu.	75c @ \$1.00
Turnips, bu.	40c
Onions, bu.	60c
RETAIL GROCERIES.	
Country Butter, lb.	35c
Creamery Butter, per lb.	40c
Lard, lb.	15c
Eggs, doz.	20c
Chickens, lb.	14c
Potatoes, bu.	60c
Apples, bu.	\$1.20
Turnips, bu.	60c
Onions, bu.	1.00
LOCAL GRAIN MARKET.	
Wheat, bu.	\$1.02
Corn, per cwt.	70c
Oats, bu.	28c
Timothy Seed, bu.	\$1.00
Rye, bu.	55c
Red Clover Seed, bu.	\$9.50
Aisike, bu.	\$10.00
HAY MARKET.	
No. 1 Timothy, baled, ton.	\$12.00
No. 1 Timothy, bulk, ton.	\$10.00
No. 1 Mixed, baled, ton.	\$11.00
No. 1 Mixed, bulk, ton.	\$9.00
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LIVE STOCK.	
Good Steers, 1100 to 1200 lbs.	7@7 1/4c
Fair Steers, 900 to 1000 lbs.	6 1/2@7 1/4c
Heifers	5 1/2@6 1/4c
Calves	7 1/2@8c
Bulls	5@5 1/2c
Cows	3 1/2@3 1/2c
Lambs	7@8 1/4c
Hogs, heavy	8 1/2@8 1/4c
THE MARKET.	

Hogs, receipts 3,000; market 5c lower; heavies \$9.25; mediums, workers, light workers and pigs 5c. roughs \$8.25; steaks \$7.25.
Toledo, O., April 7.—Wheat, cash and May \$1.13 1/4; July 94 1/4; September 95 1/4.

Corn, cash 58 1/2c; May 57 1/2c; July 58 1/2c; September 59 1/2c.

Oats, cash 37 1/2c; May 38; July 37; September 36 1/2c.

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GET CONCESSIONS IN RATIONAL WAY

Rather Than Follow Republican Method of 'Deliver or We Will Punish.'

Washington, April 7.—An amendment to widen the foreign market for American goods, and to encourage reciprocity treaties with all of the foreign nations is embodied in the new tariff bill introduced today, in a clause empowering the president to grant favors to any nation that gives mutual concessions to the United States.

The reciprocity clause takes the place of the penalty clause of the present tariff law by which it was sought to secure special concessions to the United States. The new tariff bill proposes that the normal tariff rates shall be the maximum and that special rates shall be granted to countries that will enter into reciprocity treaties with the United States. In the present

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"We went to the nations of the

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**Daytonian Braves Railway
Washouts to Aid Lima
Men in Campaign.**

**DAYTON Y. M. C. A. LOSS
NOT LESS THAN \$30,000**

**Baseball Membership Cap-
tains Will Give Two
Minute Talks.**

L. E. Allison, who was booked to address the baseball membership campaigners at the Y. M. C. A. on March 26, will, in spite of the flood in Dayton, his home town, be with the men on tomorrow evening, when they will meet at luncheon at the Y. M. C. A. at 6:30, to prepare for the big campaign next day. The leaders had given up hope of having Mr. Allison here, because of flood conditions, but he dropped in to Lima, Saturday and was here to cover Sunday. He said that he considered the campaign here of such great importance that he would do everything he could to assist in the movement.

In talking with Secretary Eberhart of the local Association, he stated that the Young Men's Christian Association at Dayton was damaged not less than \$40,000, to say nothing of loss of revenues from regular subscribers and from the partial close of their regular activities. He will have some things to say about this to the men Wednesday evening, by way of getting them to consider Lima's fortunate position. It will be a treat to have Mr. Allison present and every man who is connected with any of the campaign teams and any other Association man, who expects to boost in this campaign, is expected to be present promptly at 6:30. The Ladies Auxiliary of the Association will serve the luncheon, and this is assurance of a splendid repast. Two minute addresses will be made by the captains and a few words of approval from the president of the Association, Mr. B. A. Gramm.

While the floods took some of the enthusiasm out of the men, temporarily, they have again taken up the reigns of organization and work and are anxious to get into the game Wednesday. Watch the score board. It will be a big day.

White Stars vs San Felice

TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 5,
AT AUDITORIUM.

"THE DUKE OF DURHAM."

Orpheum patrons never get enough of musical comedy, when that musical comedy is good. The fame of Minnie Palmer's new mirth provoker is "The Duke of Durham" and it opened for the week at the Orpheum this afternoon. It is a large company, too, for a tabloid musical comedy, pretty girls, good comedians, excellent singers and classy dancers, and all costumed elaborately. Specialties are introduced by the Great American Four; Raymond & Hall, Mabel LaCouver and others and make "The Duke of Durham" popular with Orpheum patrons. Dayton Flood Pictures are being shown for the first time in Lima. They were made as the waters were subsiding and show the terrible wreck of the Gem City. Don't miss the pictures and don't even think of missing such a musical treat as "The Duke of Durham."

NEW FEED AND SUPPLY STORE

J. N. Pangle, will on Monday, April 7th, open in the new Schupp building at 120 south Union street, a first-class feed and stable supply store. He will at all times handle the very best corn, oats, chaff, bran and middlings, bailed hay and straw of all kinds, poultry feeds, scratch and house sprays. As Mr. Pangle has had 25 years experience in the buying of all kinds of feeds you will certainly be assured of the best. He will sell the famous Dr. Holland's Stock Salts and Remedies for horses, cattle and poultry. These stock salts have been used by him for over 20 years in his livery and he personally recommends them to the trade. Condition powders, oil cake, meal and hamment, stable supplies, including whips, halters, harness, soap and oils, whilst brooms, stable brooms, axle grease, body and hoof brushes, curvy combs and leather washers. The best Rock Island wool sponges, chamels, wool and feather dusters and metal polishers for carriages and automobiles. I will handle pure Gluten flour fresh at all times which is so much desired and used for the sick. Other flour and numerous articles will be added from time to time. As Mr. Pangle has used most of the above articles for many years he feels safe in recommending them to his trade. At all times clean and fresh goods at the right prices. Your patronage will be appreciated. New Phone No. 391. Put the number in your book.

Drive Sick Headaches Away.
Sick headaches, sour gassy stomach, indigestion, biliousness disappear quickly after you take Dr. King New Life Pills. They purify the blood and put new life and vigor in the system. Try them and you will be well satisfied. Every pill helps; every box guaranteed. Price 25¢ Recommended by H. F. Vorlakamp.

LYRIC THEATRE.

By request of many patrons the Barrett Players will offer at the Lyric theatre, the first three days of this week, starting with the first performance tonight, the great moral lesson in play form, Sapho, which is often said to be the greatest teacher of moral lessons the stage has ever known. There is positively no objectionable feature in this great play, but only the story of the pitfalls that threaten woman-kind. "Sapho" tonight, Tuesday and Wednesday nights, with a special matinee tomorrow afternoon.

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There will be a special meeting of the Lima Club Membership, Monday evening, April 7th, 1913, at eight o'clock. Smoker and business of importance.

E. L. KIRK, Sec'y. AMERICAN SALVATION ARMY.

We have some clothing, shoes, potatoes and canned fruit to give to the flood sufferers and poor of the city which they can have by calling at their headquarters at No. 433 south Central avenue. Bring basket with you.

ADL. K. J. SNYDER.

"Do you hate? --Forget it!" Buy AMSTERDAM COOKIES from your grocer.

NOSES MUST BE WET BEFORE MIDNIGHT IN ATLANTIC CITY.

Atlantic City, N. J., April 7. Practically every saloon and other places where intoxicating liquors are dispensed were closed here yesterday for the first Sunday in many years. Hearing a warning circulated by Director of Public Safety Barrett, acting under orders from Prosecutor Moore, proprietors of hotels and cafes declined, they said "to take further chances in evading the Sunday-closing law."

Many curious signs were displayed in several of the big beach front cafes before midnight Saturday notifying their patrons that they would not be served after 12 o'clock. One sign read:

"BAR CLOSED AT 12. WAITERS WILL MAKE THEIR FINAL CALL. PUT IN SUPPLY BEFORE THE HOUR. NO OBJECTION TO USING THE TABLES."

Saloon-keepers who were in doubt as to whether to close or not were told by city authorities that arrest and conviction would almost certainly follow a violation of the law.

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Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

EGGS 16 CENTS A DOZEN--AT
PIPER'S GROCERY.

Mañana, please get some of those nice round crackers called FENIXA BISCUITS. They look so good. Our grocery man has them.

To Restore Good Health

The first thing to do is to correct the minor ailments caused by defective or irregular action of the organs of digestion and elimination. After these organs have been put in good working order by timely use of

BEECHAM'S PILLS

(The Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World) better digestion results, and then the food really nourishes and strengthens the body. The first dose gives relief and sounder sleep, quiet nerves, and improved action of all the bodily organs are caused by an occasional use of Beecham's Pills. They give universal satisfaction and in safety, sureness and quickness of action Beecham's Pills

**Have No
Known Equal.**
Gold everywhere. In boxes 16s, 32s.
The directions with every box are very valuable.

SPRING FURNITURE EXHIBIT AT THE BIG STORE

Continues to arouse widespread interest. Just now when nearly every household is planning some interior improvement in the shape of furniture, rugs or draperies, this magnificent showing is most timely. Although our lines are wonderfully complete and have been chosen with the greatest care as regards quality and good style, prices have been kept down to rock bottom. Good taste at economy prices is the slogan of the Big Store Furniture Department.

Carpets Are Selling Briskly at These Attractive Prices

These include all the favorite Spring patterns and colorings, while their superior wearing qualities are unquestioned.

All 90c and 95c Brussels Carpets, per yard..... 79c

All 80c Brussels Carpets..... 69c

All \$1.25 and \$1.30 Axminster Carpets..... 98c

All \$1.25 and \$1.30 Velvet Carpets..... 98c

These prices include the sewing of all carpets.

INGRAIN CARPETS ALSO SHOW REDUCTIONS.

All 75c, 78c and 80c All-Wool Ingrain Carpets..... 69c

All 70c Wool Ingrain Carpets..... 63c

All 65c Wool-filled Ingrain Carpets..... 58c

All 80c Wool Filled Ingrain Carpets..... 53c

CARPET REMNANTS GO AT COST.

Several remnants of small all-over patterns in hall and vestibule carpets, including Brussels and Velvet grades, enough of each pattern to cover small rooms and vestibules or halls; all good patterns and colorings; will be closed out AT ACTUAL COST.

China and Japanese Matting. An entirely new stock, showing the newest patterns and designs; colors are unusually bright and artistic; ideal for summer bed rooms or summer cottages; price range, 15¢ to 30¢ per yard.

Wide-Awake Facts About Sleep

Bed rooms will need renovation this Spring more than any other rooms in the house. Big Store low prices will make the way easy

New Arrivals in Brass Beds, all with the new guaranteed lacquer in bright satin, Polet or velvet finishes; four-post and continuous post styles; handsome mountings. Good designs as low as \$12.50. Excellent values at from \$18.50 to \$30.00.

Iron Beds in all sizes and in many attractive finishes. Special value this week, \$8.50 iron bed for \$6.50.

Iron Beds, white enamel finish, brass mountings, continuous posts, heavy angle iron braces, \$2.75 up to \$6.50.

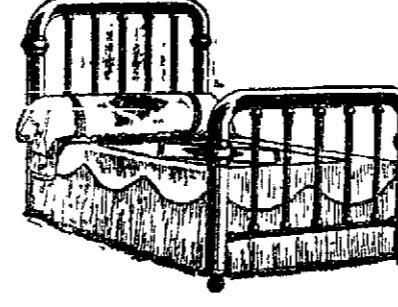
Full Size Iron Beds, substantially constructed, showing tasteful combinations of blue and white or green and white enamel, neat brass mountings, \$5.00 up to \$8.50.

Vernis Martin Beds, a well-selected line in this popular finish; 1-inch, 1½-inch and 2-inch continuous posts, \$6 to \$15.

Foster's Ideal Springs, made of best grade high carbon steel, extra heavy continuous wire spirals attached to frame of steel bands; made with steel strip sides which rest on side rails of bed; requires no separate slats, adopted by leading hotels all over the United States. Moderate in price.

Cushion Corner Springs, a new and improved style of spring, whose merits must be seen to be fully appreciated.

Full Line of Mattresses and Pillows. Special values in combination mattresses and 1st and 2nd grade felt mattresses.



THE NEWSON-HAWISHER COMPANY

OPTICAL DEPT.

Experienced optometrist in constant attendance. Have your eyes tested.



*Beyond Usefulness,
There Is Charm!*

New Curtains and Draperies Work a Magic Transformation

Winter wear has a devastating effect upon Lace Curtains and Draperies. In spite of utmost economy, several new pairs are going to be imperative this Spring. The Big Store Curtain and Drapery Department is growing in popularity each year, due to the fact that it carries a more attractive assortment of merchandise at lower prices than any other store in Lima. Our assortments comprise unusually beautiful patterns—all our own importation—and the values are remarkably good.

Nottingham, Cable Net and Madras Lace Curtains, Quaker and Zion makes white and beige colors; good patterns, strong and serviceable; matchless values, at 98c, \$1.00, \$1.15, \$1.25 up to \$4.00.

Bobbineet Curtains, lace edges and insertions; very pretty, \$1.75 to \$3.50 per pair.

Dainty Curtains of muslin, Swiss, madras and etamine, with plain edges or trimmed with insertion; white, ivory and beige colors, \$3.75 to \$7.75 per pair.

Scrim and Etamine Curtains, attractive assortments in barred, mercerized, striped and hemstitched effects; white, Arabian, ecru and ivory coloring, 20c to 50c per yard. Edgings and ball fringes to match.

Art Silksilk, Cretonne and Italian Ticking, beautiful floral designs and rich colorings, 10c to 30c per yard.

Burlap, in brown, tan, green and red, a standing favorite with the home decorator; best grades at 15c to 30c per yard.

Trees and Vines at Bargain Prices

Just In Time for Spring Planting

The Big Store can supply you Fruit Trees and Vines grown by Ohio nurserymen and carefully inspected by state authorities for about half what you are accustomed to pay.

By special arrangement with the well known nurserymen, J. W. Parker & Son, of Troy, Ohio, we are enabled to supply our patrons high grade fruit trees, such as peach, cherry and pear, also grape vines and the beautiful Althaea vine (Rose of Sharon) at **ALMOST UNHEARD OF PRICES**. All these trees and vines are hardy, healthy and have splendid roots. If planted with reasonable care they cannot fail to attain vigorous growth and afford enduring satisfaction.



Alberta Peach Trees.

bear large firm peaches, golden yellow with red cheek, and of delicious flavor. Big Store Price.

25c

Kieffer Pear Trees.

bear a delicious russet yellow fruit, very juicy and of fine flavor; very hardy. Big Store Price.

25c

Cherry Trees.

Montmorency and Early Richmond varieties, dark red in color, sub-acid, juicy and of rich flavor. Big Store Price.

25c

CONCORD GRAPE VINES

Concord Grape Vines, very hardy and bearing a grape that is famous for its fine flavor and excellent shipping qualities. These vines are regularly sold by nurserymen at 25c each. Big Store Price

10c

ALTHEA VINE

Althaea Vine (Rose of Sharon); excellent for hedges or to grow singly or in clumps; colors, red, double white, and double purple; will make a fine addition to the shrubbery around your house. Big Store Price

19c

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BEAUTIFUL FLAG GIVEN TO LIBRARY

By the Patriotic Members of the Daughters of the Revolution.

The trustees of the Lima public library held a regular meeting last Saturday evening. During the ses-

sion a committee of ladies, consisting of Mrs. W. L. Mackenzie, Mrs. T. A. McLaughlin, Miss Ella Mackenzie and Miss Isabel Mackenzie, representing the patriots. Daughter of the Revolution presented to the trustees a magnificent American flag, fourteen feet long and containing 100 stars.

The gift is appreciated by the

trustees of the library and they hope to soon have it proudly floating over the library building.

FIGHT AGAINST SCABIES.

Washington, April 7.—An order

of the secretary of agriculture ef-

fective April 15, changes the in-

ment of livestock providing that in states which are quarantined for scabies in cattle, owners may move ranges or pastures cleaned under the supervision of federal or state inspectors. The cattle, however, must be certified by an inspector before they enter interstate com-